AMENDMENT

In the Specification

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 14 of the specification of the present application for invention to the following:

In consequence, amongst other things, it is an object of the present invention to allow audio management on levels of different complexity, through providing ~~parallel but~~ compatible accessibility to players as well as to PC's, and in particular, through the latter's file structure. Now therefore, according to one of its aspects the invention is characterized according to the characterizing part of Claim 1. A lowest level directory, that in case of a single level directory structure is also the highest level or ROOT directory, contains localizing information of the associated audio items or tracks. However, such lowest level directory cannot access immediately the audio content of these tracks, but would need the appropriate application program to execute an interpretation with respect to the pertaining audio file.

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 33 of the specification of the present application for invention to the following:

If a file system is present however, all audio will be stored in Audio Files. Figure 4 has a double accessing hierarchy, as follows, Firstly, ROOT directory 50 points to MASTER TOC files 52 and furthermore to ~~subaltern directories~~ sub-directories 2C_AUDIO 54, MC_AUDIO 56, and PICTURES 66. The structure of **MASTER.TOC** 52 will be discussed hereinafter. Furthermore, **2C_AUDIO** directory 54 points to TOC **2C_AREA.TOC** 58 and in parallel therewith to the various stereo tracks **TRACKn.2CH** 60. Furthermore, there is **MC_AUDIO** directory 56. This points to TOC **MC_AREA.TOC** 62 and in parallel therewith to the various stereo tracks **TRACKn.MCH** 64. In consequence, the tracks may be accessed either via the associated directories, or rather via the file system that may have MASTER.TOC and sub-TOCS as files. However, double storage facilities therefor are superfluous, inasmuch as the directories need only to **refer** to the TOC or TOCS. For reasons of safety, the master TOCs have been provided in triplicate. Furthermore, the ~~subaltern~~ sub-TOCs or AREA.TOCs have been provided

in duplicate. Next, to audio, the system may be organized for containing still further items, such as pictures that also have their directory 66. As an additional extra, 2C_TAREA.2CH 59 and MC_TAREA.MCH contain all associated tracks.